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The Reply Brief filed on Nov. 20, 2006 has not been considered because it is not in compliance with 37 CFR 41.41. The reply brief relies on new evidence (See Evidence Apppendix, page 19 of Reply Brief, Liang et al., Infection and Immunity, Vol. 66, no. 5, pp 1834-1838.)

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